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Examiner : Hien T. Tran  
Art Unit : 1764  
Docket No. : 52433/580

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Applicants : Y. TAKAHASHI et al.  
Serial No. : 09/423,944  
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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment/Response in the above-identified patent application.

[X] No additional fee is required.

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[ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE	x135=	\$ _____	x290=	\$ _____
DEP. CLAIM	TOTAL ADDIT. FEE		\$ 0.00	

[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required to Deposit Account 11-0600. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

[X] A petition for a three (3) month extension of time and Deposit Account authorization to cover the extension fee are enclosed.

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**AMENDMENT**

SIR:

Reconsideration of the above-identified patent application, as amended, is respectfully requested. The present amendment is responsive to the Office Action mailed May 9, 2003. A petition for an extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action accompanies this amendment.